

## Message Text

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PAGE 01 HAVANA 00474 212340Z  
ACTION AF-10

INFO OCT-01 ARA-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 /031 W  
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R 212105Z FEB 78  
FM USINT HAVANA  
TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 1224

C O N F I D E N T I A L HAVANA 0474

FOR AMBASSADOR FROM LANE

EO 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR AO US CU  
SUBJ: REPORT FROM LUANDA: FOUR DAYS IN FEBRUARY

REF: LAGOS 1955

WE FOUND REFTTEL EXTREMELY INTERESTING AND USEFUL GIVEN  
PAUCITY OF HARD REPORTING OUT OF ANGOLA. I AGREE  
THAT PERIODIC VISITS TO LUANDA WOULD BE DESIRABLE, BOTH  
TO GIVE US CURRENT ASSESSMENTS AND TO SHOW NETO (AND  
OTHER ANGOLAN POLITICAL LEADERS) THAT THE U.S. IS  
INTERESTED AND CONCERNED ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS THERE.  
LANE

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## Message Attributes

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